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Case No. 10420/12

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

David et al.

Serial No.: 09/851,849

Examiner: Erica E. Cadugan

Filed: May 9, 2001

Group Art Unit: 3722

For: Router Apparatus

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Mail Stop Appeal Brief-- Patents
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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated March 20, 2003 of the Examiner finally rejecting Claims 1-25.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

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1. An extension of time to respond to the final rejection is requested for one month(s).
2. A timely response to the final rejection has been filed, as provided in 841 O.G. 1411.
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4. I hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for any extension of time required to ensure that this paper is timely filed. Please charge any associated fees which have not otherwise been paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: Monday July 21, 2003



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